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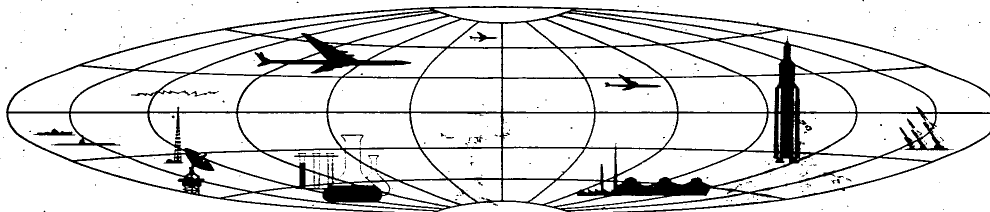
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#### PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training area or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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KISHINEV ARMY BARRACKS WEST  
(47-01N 028-48E)  
KISHINEV, MOLDAVSKAYA SSR, USSR

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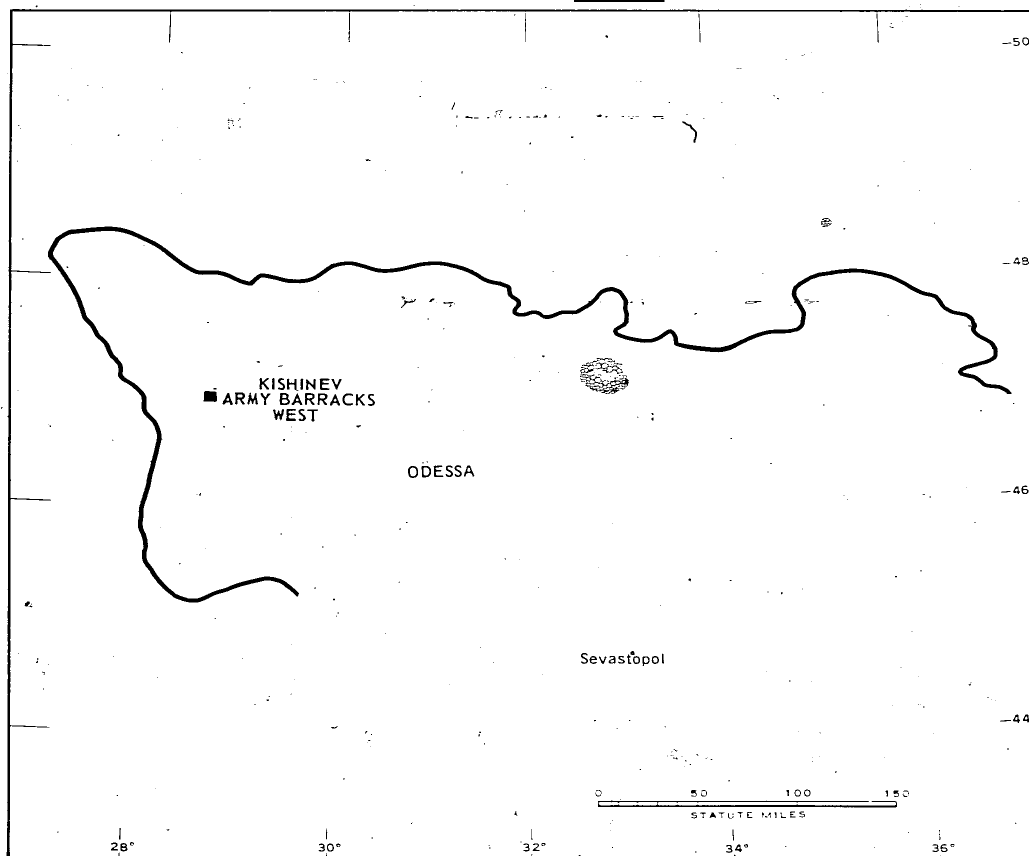


FIGURE 1: LOCATION OF KISHINEV ARMY BARRACKS WEST.

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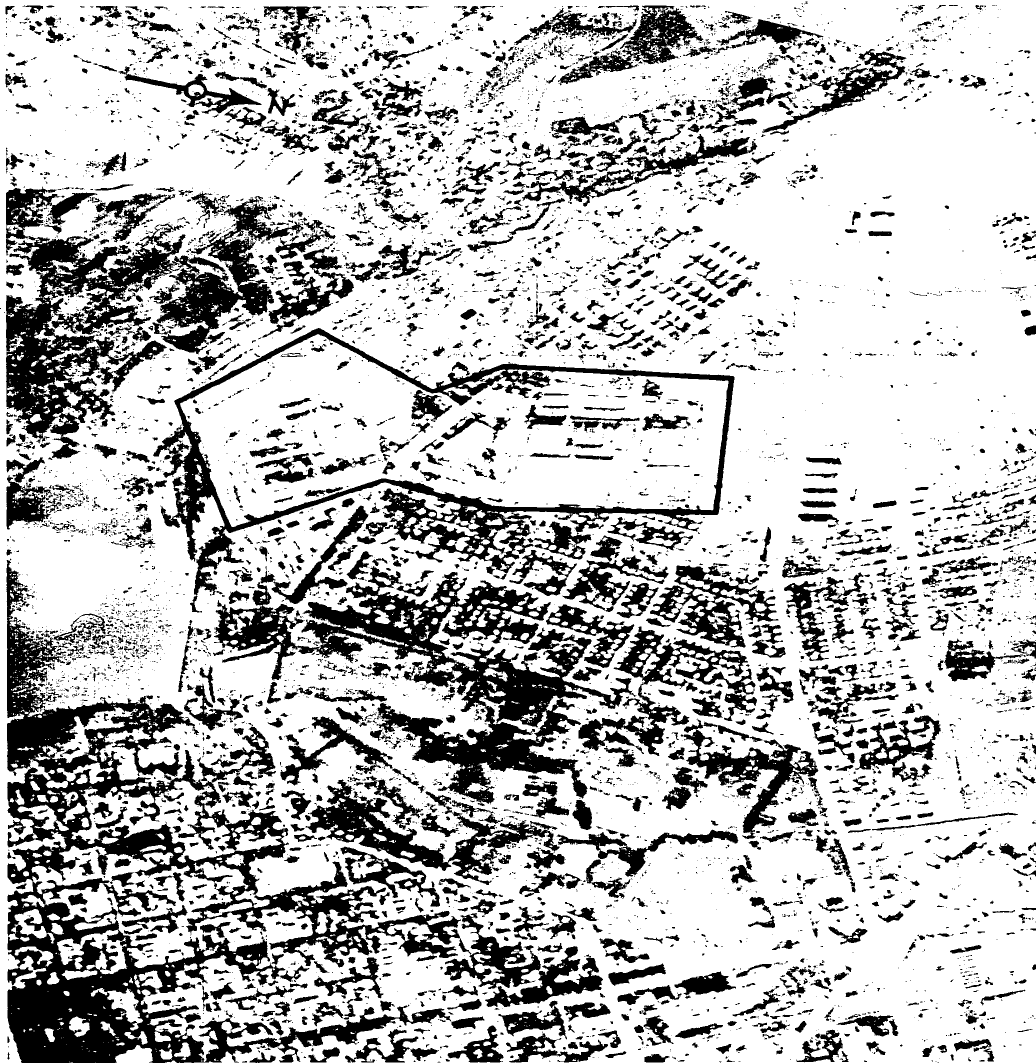


FIGURE 2. KISHINEV ARMY BARRACKS WEST, KISHINEV, USSR.

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SUMMARY

Kishinev Army Barracks West is located 2.5 kilometers (km) west of Kishinev (Figure 1). A small, inactive training area, located 6 km west, contains a tank/assault-gun firing range, a wheeled-vehicle automatic-weapons firing range, and 9 support buildings.

Kishinev Army Barracks West covers approximately 85 acres and contains 2 administration buildings, 7 barracks, 4 probable barracks, 5 probable quarters, 3 storage buildings,

2 vehicle sheds, a vehicle park, 20 support buildings, a small-arms firing range, and 2 parade fields (Figures 2 and 3).

This area is covered on [REDACTED] KEYHOLE missions between [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Comparative analysis reveals no significant change since [REDACTED]. Photography prior to this is poor and does not permit detailed analysis.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

Secondary, probably all-weather roads provide access to Kishinev.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains an administration building, 7 barracks, a storage building, and 10 support buildings.

Area D2 contains an administration building, 4 probable barracks, 5 probable quarters, and 10 support buildings.

POL Storage Area

Kishinev Petroleum Storage [REDACTED] is located 4 km west and contains 7 vertical and 5 horizontal tanks.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains 2 vehicle sheds (approximately 390 by 45 feet and 280 by 45 feet) and 2 storage buildings.

Area J2 contains a vehicle park approximately 255 feet square.

Athletic Fields

Areas K1 and K2 are parade fields.

Small-Arms Firing Range

Area L is a small-arms firing range, 320 feet long and 45 feet wide.

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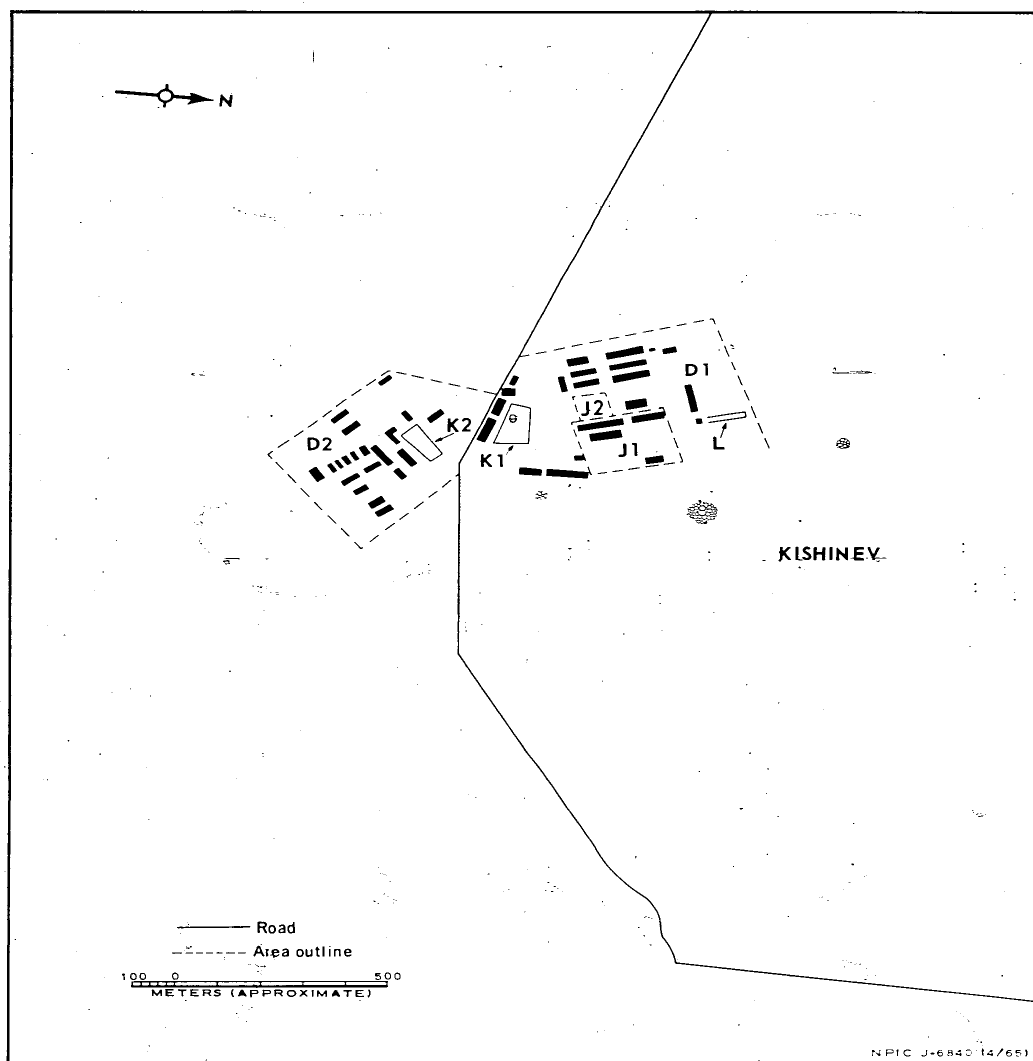


FIGURE 3. KISHINEV ARMY BARRACKS WEST. Sketch compiled from [REDACTED]

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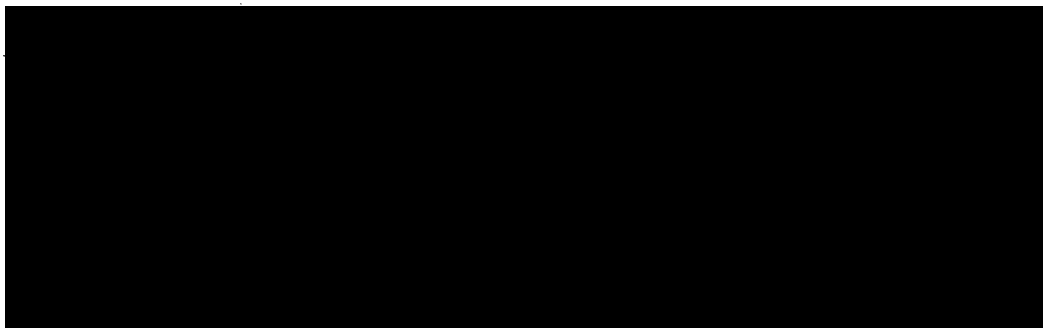
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